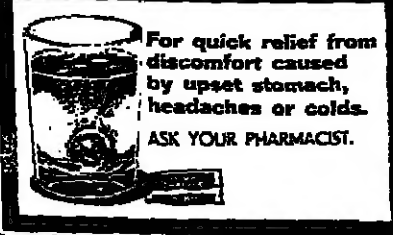


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Forecast: Humidity unchanged. Waves 80-120 cms.

	Yesterday's	Yesterday's	Today's
	Humidity	Min.-Max.	Forecast
Jerusalem	47	19-29	19-28
Golan	50	17-27	17-27
Nahariya	55	21-31	21-30
Safed	40	19-30	19-30
Haifa	64	—	24-28
Tiberias	38	22-37	22-37
Nasareth	57	22-32	21-32
Afula	38	22-34	22-33
Shomron	55	20-33	20-33
Tel Aviv	65	24-30	23-30
Lod	54	22-32	22-32
Jericho	38	24-33	24-33
Qes	71	24-38	23-38
Beersheba	40	20-33	20-33
Elit	21	27-40	27-40
Tiran	29	28-37	28-38

## Social and Personal

Canadian Minister of Communications Gerard Pelletier and Mrs. Pelletier yesterday called on Knesset Speaker Yisrael Yeshayahu. Mr. Pelletier also visited Yehoshua Vashem where he was shown round by the acting chairman Haim Pasner.

Mr. Helmut Rhode, West German Deputy Labour Minister yesterday called on the Director-General of the Labour Ministry Arie Gur-el.

The Lilian and Martin Steinberg Pavilion of the Louise Waterman Wise Youth Hostel was officially opened yesterday at a ceremony addressed by Jerusalem Mayor Teddy Kolek, Joseph Meyouhas, chairman of the hostel's board of trustees, and Rabbi Arthur Hertzberg, president of the American Jewish Congress.

A delegation from Israel's B'nai B'rith on Thursday toured rest homes in Givat Olga and Yehuda maintained by the Soldiers Welfare League, to study the possibility of setting up a similar facility in the south.

## ARRIVALS

Mr. Edward Ginsberg, Chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee, to study JDC and JDC-Mabon operations in Israel.

Richard Crossman, British M.P., to take part in the opening of the newly restored Moshavim in Jerusalem. (By El Al)

## Shazar in Hadassah for medical tests

Former President Zalman Shazar, 83, was admitted to Hadassah Hospital for tests yesterday. The hospital gave no date for his discharge, nor any details of his medical condition.

Mr. Shazar, who finished his second five-year term as President in May, recently returned from a month-long visit to South America.

## Katzir addresses Labour Zionists

BEIT BERL — President Ephraim Katzir yesterday spoke on the humanitarian aspects of labour movement, before a World Labour Zionist meeting marking the 75th anniversary of Zionist Socialism.

"We must struggle to formulate new values to meet the technological advances of the twentieth century. We have in Israel a wonderful nucleus with which we can create a nation with new values to provide a light for ourselves and the whole world," said the President. (Him)

## Boy killed in road accident

A 15-year-old boy, Ibrahim Maham, was killed, and three other children injured, in a collision in Hahul, near Hebron, yesterday when the truck they were travelling in collided with a car. The injured were taken to the Hebron hospital. (Him)

## Communists' sons here for seminar

A group of 100 sons and daughters of Belgian Jewish Communists who shun all religious organizations arrived in Israel last weekend as guests of the World Zionist Organization's youth department. The youth are members of the Brussels Secular Jewish Centre and will attend a two-month-long seminar here.

## Meri seeks delay of Histadrut poll

TEL AVIV — The Tel Aviv District Court yesterday began hearings on an appeal by the Meri faction (formerly Raolun Haze) in the Histadrut to postpone the September 11 Histadrut elections. Meri claims it has not received the two copies of the voters' list it says must be given to each faction.

## Orthodox protest Jewish-Arab camps

About 500 ultra-orthodox Jews held a rally in Jerusalem yesterday to protest mixed Jewish-Arab summer camps organized by the Education Ministry. The demonstrators signed a petition to Education Minister Yigal Alon warning of the camps as "a central cause of assimilation."

The rally was held at the Shaarei David Synagogue in Katamon Gimmel.

## Tough line rejected on religious girls' national service

By ASHER WALLFISH

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Cabinet Ministers of the Independent Liberals and Mapam yesterday urged the Cabinet to adopt a more vigorous policy over non-military national service for girls who are exempt from the Army on religious grounds. But the outcome of the Cabinet's discussion of the topic was a wishy-washy decision whose innocuous terms were dictated by the desire to avoid Coalition rows before the October Knesset elections.

The Cabinet's resolution noted that "progress had been made during the past 18 months in persuading orthodox girls to volunteer for various national service schemes. An information campaign to step up the number of girl volunteers was continuing."

Tourism Minister Moshe Kol put the matter on the Cabinet agenda in 1969, when he urged that provisions of the 1953 National Service Law, whereby girls exempt from the Army would be directed to essential jobs, should be implemented. (They have been a dead letter from the day the law was passed.)

Health Minister Victor Shemtov added pressure of his own in 1971 when he appealed to the Cabinet to ease the shortage of nurses, by getting their jobs done by orthodox girls.

The Cabinet, however, shrank from introducing any compulsory arrangements in 1971 and decided instead to encourage a new volunteering scheme, sponsored by Mizrahi women, who are affiliated to the National Religious Party.

At yesterday's discussion, Mr. Shemtov said that the voluntary scheme was a failure as far as his Ministry was concerned, since no more than a handful of girls came to work in hospitals. He was still short of thousands of nurses, he said. The Ministry had offered to give the girl volunteers day shifts only, let them work at hospitals in their own immediate locality and live at home, and be paid full salaries into the bargain, but to no avail.

Welfare Minister Michael Chazani gave a brighter picture of girls' volunteering, for welfare and youth services.

(A few hundred volunteers have come forward altogether, of the several thousand who get exemption on religious grounds each year.) Mr. Kol wanted the Cabinet resolution yesterday to state specifically that the figures for volunteering were below expectations. Mr. Shemtov wanted the resolution to state specifically that the situation should be reviewed in 12 months' time. Both proposals were rejected.

## Allon seen holding up Labour accord on 'areas'

Jerusalem Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV — The top level Labour Party forum aimed at formulating a working programme on policy in the administered territories will not meet today as was expected. Until yesterday it had been assumed that most differences had been ironed out, especially those between Finance Minister Pinhas Sapir and Defence Minister Moshe Dayan.

Premier Golda Meir was to have produced a summing-up of a proposed working programme with the aid of Minister-without-Portfolio Israel Galili, who was to have sounded out his colleagues.

It is now learned that no date has been set for the third and final session. Party sources said that the reappearance of Deputy Premier Yigal Allon on the scene, after a

six week illness was largely the cause of the delay.

He has reportedly demanded to be updated on the compromise formula that was being worked out. A meeting of a select number of Labour Party Ministers was held at the Premier's home in Jerusalem yesterday afternoon.

It is understood that Mr. Allon raised new objections to accepting a number of Mr. Dayan's proposals, especially in respect of the proposed urban centre of Yotvot in Northern Sinai. Mr. Allon also reportedly came out against the compromise formula of Justice Minister Ya'acov Shimshon Shapiro over Mr. Dayan's demand for sales of land in the areas to Jews. Mr. Shapiro had proposed strict government control of such transactions.



Antoinette Tubman, the widow of the former Liberator President, shakes hands with Prime Minister Golda Meir when they met yesterday in Jerusalem. (Shim)

## MINISTERS APPROVE COMPROMISE Land valued at IL22m. to be sold for IL15m.

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Ministerial Economic Committee yesterday approved a compromise settlement reached in the dispute involving the State Lands Administration and Kiryat Canada over the price of a land parcel in Netanya.

The Canadian company will pay IL15,000,000 for land originally appraised to be worth IL7,000,100 but later reappraised at a value of IL22,000,191.

The company, headed by prominent Canadian Zionists, plans to build a large housing complex in the city, and had contracted for the purchase of 850 dunams of land from the Administration.

## Saudi official to see welfare projects here

A Saudi Arabian welfare official in Israel under the Summer Visits Programme has asked to be shown some of Israel's social welfare projects, the Government Press Office announced yesterday.

He is Dr. Ishak Qutub, Director of the Saudi Department of Community Works. At the end of last week he conferred with Dr. Mordechai Avitsur, Deputy Director of the Social Welfare Ministry, and the Ministry is now arranging a tour for Dr. Qutub.

HISTADRUT-controlled enterprises will stop work at noon on Tuesday, September 11, to enable workers to vote for the Histadrut convention. The Histadrut will appeal to the Government and other employers to follow this example.

## HILLEL: Bir'im-Ikrit entry ban to be kept

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Police Minister Shlomo Hillel told the Cabinet yesterday that the Police were taking pains to ensure that the Army's closure order barring entry to the Golan Heights of Bir'im and Ikrit, was strictly observed.

(The O/C Northern Command last week prohibited all unlicensed access, day or night, to the sites of the two Arab villages, whose inhabitants were temporarily evacuated in 1948 and then kept out for good by successive Cabinet decisions. After some of the villagers, encouraged by Greek Catholic Archbishop Joseph Ezzar, began squatting at the site last week, the Army rescinded long-standing permission for daytime visits.)

Mr. Hillel, who was replying to a question from Tourism Minister Moshe Kol, said he had received complaints from the Israel Lands Administration, which took over the lands of Ikrit and Bir'im, that some villagers were squatting illegally on Administration lands, trying to erect illegal structures, and coming back day after day, despite warnings by administration officials that the squatters were contravening the law.

Under the circumstances, Mr. Hillel said, the offenders were arrested, charged with trespass, and released on their own bond the same day.

Mr. Kol said some of the villagers had contacted him directly to explain their case.

## Gahal launches centrist bloc negotiations

Jerusalem Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV — The Gahal executive yesterday formally launched negotiations for the formation of a centrist bloc. They sent official letters to the Free Centre, the State List, and the Land of Israel Movement, inviting them to choose representatives for talks.

The State List secretariat last night agreed to enter negotiations to join the centrist bloc. Among the principles the State List want adopted by the new alignment are constituency elections to the Knesset and direct elections of mayors.

The Herut and Liberal wings of Gahal later chose their representatives for negotiations. The Herut delegation will comprise Party Chairman Menachem Begin, Yohanan Bader, Benayahu Halevi, Ezer Weizman and Haim Landau, while the Liberals chose Party Chairman Ekmelch Rimak, Executive Chairman Simha Erlich, Jewish Agency Acting Chairman Arye L. Dulzin, Ariel Sharon (who initiated the proposal for the alignment), Yosef Tamir, Rehovot Mayor Shmuel Reichman and Party Secretary Raphael Barzi.

## Liberals have new way to select candidates

Jerusalem Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV — The Liberal Party yesterday resolved to abandon the traditional method of selecting Knesset candidates by an appointments committee. Instead, 25 candidates will be chosen by a secret ballot of the Central Committee. It is the first Israeli political party to make this move.

Another resolution adopted provides that Knesset Members who have already served three consecutive terms will have to win at least a 50 per cent majority of Central Committee members to be candidates for a fourth term.

## Mapam M.K. calls for 'initiative'

Kiryat Shmona

A leading Mapam member yesterday called on the Government to welcome U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim's forthcoming Middle East visit with a "political initiative." Mr. Dov Zaidin, M.K., speaking at a party meeting here, said the "initiative" should include a declaration of intent regarding "central political problems of the region." It was especially needed after the Arab failure in the Security Council, and before "we are forced to react to inconvenient initiatives from both friends and foes." (Him)

THE FRIENDS of Assaf Harofeh Hospital have launched a drive to raise IL250,000 to renovate a pavilion on the hospital grounds at Tzrifin, to serve as a "day hospital" for residents of the area.

## Our only son RAMI

has been tragically killed in an accident. The funeral will leave today, Monday, August 6, 1973, at 1 p.m., from the Municipal Funeral Parlour, 5 Rehov Daphna, Tel Aviv, for the Kiryat Shaul cemetery. A special bus will be available for those attending. Please abstain from condolence visits.

Otto and Lea Marchfeld and family

## In deep sorrow, we announce the death of our dear GREGORIO SCHONHAUT

of Chile

A service will be held at the Funeral Parlour, Sanhedria, Jerusalem, at 1.45 p.m. on August 6, 1973.

The Family in Israel and abroad



Some of the 200 trucks in yesterday's protest action on the Jerusalem road. (Tahashim Theres)

## TRUCKERS REJECT 10% RISE; PLAN PROTESTS After 'disciplined' drive to Jerusalem

Jerusalem Post Staff

The Israel Trucking Board yesterday rejected the Government's offer of a 10 per cent rise in freight charges and is following up yesterday morning's protest drive of 200 trucks to Jerusalem with further demonstrations in Tel Aviv, Haifa and the Capital.

At a meeting of the Ministerial Economic Committee yesterday afternoon, Transport Minister Shimon Peres countered the truckers' demand for a 28 per cent freight charge increase with the offer of a 10 per cent rise. The Committee referred a final decision on the increase to the Public Price Review Committee of the Commerce and Industry Ministry, which usually meets in Wednesday.

Police termed the 200-truck protest drive which converged on Jerusalem yesterday morning "very disciplined." Leaving Tel Aviv from several assembly points about 7.30 a.m. the trucks tied up traffic at road junctions on the outskirts of the city. Once on the road to Jerusalem, they broke up into groups of 30 and 40, being joined by a contingent from Beersheba on the way. They proceeded slowly to the Capital where they were directed to the parking lot near Binyanei Ha-Oma.

The trucks were festooned with posters such as "The Transport Ministry is destroying the trucking industry" and "We demand higher tariffs to offset higher costs." A group of about 40 trucks went on to demonstrate in front of the Prime Minister's Office.

By noon all the trucks were on their way home again. One driver-owner told The Post that the demonstration had cost him about IL180 in expenses and lost income. "Tomorrow it will be the turn of some

## Kiryat Arba tax exemption upped

Kiryat Arba settlers will receive an exemption from income tax on the first IL750 of their earnings — the same as residents of development towns — the Finance Ministry announced yesterday.

Previously they received exemptions on IL400-500. After the reduction was raised for development towns, the Kiryat Arba settlers asked Finance Minister Pinhas Sapir for a similar exemption.

They made their request during Mr. Sapir's visit to Kiryat Arba last Tuesday and at the end of the week, he authorized the increased exemption (His visit there on Tuesday was his third to the Jewish quarter at Hebron, and not his first as was reported that day by Finance Ministry sources. The Ministry's spokesman informed The Jerusalem Post yesterday, Mr. Sapir's previous visits took place two to three years ago, he added.) (Him)

## Thousands attend funeral of Haim Leibowitz

PETAH TIKVA — Thousands of mourners yesterday attended the funeral here of Haim Leibowitz, doyen of local industrialists who died on Saturday at 82.

Leibowitz, who founded the Eitz Hazayit company and managed it until his death, was born in Beersheba. His family immigrated to Israel before the turn of the century and Leibowitz was one of the founders of Jewish defence in the yishuv.

Among the many organizations he helped establish in Israel are Magen David Adom, Betar and the Bnei Brith Lodge.

Tel Aviv Chief Rabbi Yedidia Frenkel and Petah Tikva Mayor Israel Feinberg delivered the funeral eulogies. Leibowitz leaves three sons and two daughters. (Him)

other members of the association to demonstrate," he said. Another man said that truckers are against irregular competition and that the industry wants Government planning and supervision.

Such supervision would restrict persons who had the down-payment on a truck from engaging a driver and entering the industry, he said. The absence of control drives down freight rates and makes the industry unprofitable, he added.

A manager of one of the leading trucking companies speaking to The Post last night said, "We have given the Government concrete demands and we want concrete answers. The question is not only an increase in freight charges, but the need to replace the haulage industry, to do something about the unfair competition we are suffering from Israel Railways and from

haulers in the administered territories."

"The Minister of Agriculture helps the farmers and has modernized and reorganized each of the agricultural branches. We feel as though the Minister of Transport and his deputy have forgotten us entirely. We have become steps on to them. In such a situation, we prefer to be orphans," he said.

Trucking Board spokesman, Elan Loewenstein, told The Post that 100 trucks early today to Haifa and Tel Aviv on "guided tours" of the cities. The Post learned that the executive might decide to begin a partial strike tomorrow. "This could disrupt cement and gasoline haulage. The truckers are also said to be contemplating blocking the ports of Ashdod and Haifa by passing their trucks before the gates.

In deep sorrow, I announce the sudden passing of my beloved husband,  
**NICHOLAS BOROVITZ**  
in the early hours of August 5.  
The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.  
Rosa Borovitz  
8 Rehov Yair Katz, Haifa.

We share the grief of our colleague,  
**MEIR FUX**  
on the death of his  
**FATHER**  
Management and Members of  
**EGGED**

OUR BELOVED  
**AKIVAH OFFENBACH**  
has left us for ever.  
His wife, Lya  
His children, Yoav, Rina, Ruthi and Yael  
and the Offenbach, Ofek and Thon families  
The funeral took place on Friday, August 3, 1973, at Kibbutz Tel Yosef.

We share the grief of  
**JOHNNY KERN**  
on the death of his mother 77½  
**ITTA KERN**  
HISTOUR  
Management and Staff

OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO THE  
**LEIBOWITZ FAMILIES**  
ON THE PASSING OF OUR DEAR FRIEND,  
**HAIM LEIBOWITZ**  
Shaul N. Eisenberg and Family

We mourn the passing of  
**HAIM LEIBOWITZ**  
and express condolences and deep sympathy to the bereaved families and to Eitz Hazayith  
**Eisenberg Group of Companies**



**EVERYONE WELCOME**



## Eban, off to Brazil, may also see Waldheim

LOD AIRPORT. — Foreign Minister Abba Eban said yesterday he may meet U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim in New York to discuss Waldheim's forthcoming visit to the Middle East. Mr. Eban, who left yesterday for official visits to Brazil and Bolivia, will stop at New York on his outward and return journeys, but he did not say when his meeting with Mr. Waldheim would take place.

He said in reply to reporters' questions at Lod Airport that Israel was indifferent to the order in which Mr. Waldheim visited Israel, Egypt and Jordan. "It makes no difference to us and is merely a technical question," he said.

Commenting on U.S. Assistant Secretary of State Joseph Sisco's recent remarks that Israel and Egypt should reassess their positions in order to get negotiations started, Mr. Eban said Israel would have no new suggestions to offer Mr. Waldheim when he visits here. "We have our permanent suggestion — negotiations. There is no

other way," he said. Mr. Eban saw no change in U.S. policy toward Israel despite pressure on Washington from the U.S. oil companies.

Referring to relations with Oslo, Mr. Eban said: "When an Israeli citizen is arrested, it is the Israel Government's responsibility to express its concern. The Israel Government has done so. I do not want to add anything to this." He dismissed reports that there was a crisis in relations between Jerusalem and Oslo.

Mr. Eban said he would spend five days in Brazil and three in Bolivia. The visits were in return for those made to Israel by the Brazilian and Bolivian Foreign Ministers. He said he would raise the question of landing rights for El Al with the Government of Brazil.

Mr. Eban was accompanied by his wife and two senior Foreign Ministry officials, Assistant Director-General Ephraim Eylon and Political Advisor Eytan Bensur.

## Gaddafi 'to fight in Israel, Ulster, U.S.'

BEIRUT (UPI). — Libyan leader Col. Muammar Gaddafi said yesterday he was determined to "carry the battle" to the heart of Israel, North Ireland and the U.S. in defence of the Arab nation, Tripoli radio reported.

The radio said Gaddafi was addressing a conference of Libyan students receiving their education abroad.

"We are determined to carry the battle to the land of the enemy (Israel) and to North Ireland because we want our enemy to know that we are no longer his prey."

"Zionism is fighting us in America and therefore we should confront it and should make America feel that we exist on its territory," Gaddafi added.

## Assad meets Lebanese minister on border

DAMASCUS (Reuters). — Syrian President Hafez al-Assad met yesterday with Lebanon's minister of economy, Dr. Nazih al-Bizri, who is visiting in Damascus.

No statement was issued after their 40-minute meeting.

Bizri arrived here on Saturday at the head of an official delegation and immediately went into talks with his Syrian counterpart, Mohammed al-Imadi. Later he met Premier Mahmoud al-Ayoubi and Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Abdel-Halim Khaddam.

Bizri's talks are aimed at settling outstanding questions between the two countries, including the reopening of their border, which was closed by Syria at the height of fighting between the Lebanese Army and the Palestinian terrorists last May.

RICE. — The Thai Government is to confiscate rice stocks from hoarders, according to the state-owned Radio Thailand. The radio said some traders were hoarding rice because of the continuing rise in domestic prices.



John Ehrlichman

## Ehrlichman's Jewish heritage

By DANIEL GOTTLIEB  
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — Former Presidential Assistant John Ehrlichman, a key figure in the Senate Watergate investigation, a non-smoking, non-drinking Christian Scientist, is of Jewish descent on his father's side of the family.

Some digging by a newspaper in his home town of Seattle has disclosed the fact that Ehrlichman's grandfather, Walter Ehrlichman, was a prominent Jewish merchant there, and helped found the Ashkenazi synagogue in the city.

Rabbi Moses Lomdinski, who currently heads the congregation of B'nai Cholim Moshavsky-Hadati, confirmed to The Jerusalem Post that elders of the synagogue remember Walter Ehrlichman.

His wife, Antoinette Gruen-Ehrlichman, converted to Christian Science along with two of the four Ehrlichman children. One son, Walter, attended synagogue as late as his twenties or thirties, Rabbi Lomdinski said.

John Ehrlichman's father enlisted in the Canadian air force before the U.S. entered World War II. He died in a plane crash in 1939. His mother, also a Christian Scientist, is still living.

SEEMED UPSET. — None of the many interviews with John Ehrlichman has disclosed his Jewish heritage. One American newsmen said he appeared to be upset when asked for confirmation of the Seattle newspaper story.

According to the "Jewish Week," Ehrlichman once belonged to a fraternity at the University of California which barred Jews from membership.

As yet, the former adviser on domestic affairs to President Nixon has not been charged with any crime in connection with the Watergate scandal.

Other witnesses have implicated him in the cover-up, however, and he has acknowledged to the Senate committee that he ordered a cover operation to obtain information from the files of Daniel Ellsberg's psychiatrist. (Ellsberg is the anti-war activist who leaked the Pentagon Papers to the press.)

## Thai team to play badminton in China

BANGKOK (AP). — A 17-man Thai badminton team left Bangkok yesterday for friendly matches with Chinese teams in Peking and other major cities. The team, led by police Lt. Gen. Chumpol Lohachala, will spend three weeks in China.

Four weeks ago, Thai diplomats held meetings with Chen Jui-shen, China's director of southeast Asian affairs, who accompanied a Chinese table tennis team to Bangkok.

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter. A top aide of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat will arrive today in Amman in an apparent bid to press for normalized relations between Egypt and Jordan. He is due to confer with King Hussein and top government leaders.

Relations between the two countries have been strained since Sadat came to power in late 1970, with the issue of the Palestinian sabotage movement being the main source of conflict. Sadat severed his country's diplomatic ties with Amman last year, in protest against King Hussein's federal scheme calling for the establishment of a "Palestinian province" on the West Bank. Hussein called for a "united

Arab kingdom," which would also include a "Jordanian province" on the East Bank.

The Amman visit of the Egyptian aide, Hassan Sabry al-Khouly, who is usually referred to as Sadat's "personal representative," comes during Sadat's efforts to consolidate Arab cooperation in the light of the U.S.-Soviet détente.

Nevertheless, indications were that Sadat was drawing closer to the political views of Hussein, who has recently consolidated his position at home, despite the political and economic sanctions imposed on Jordan by several Arab states.

The possible reconciliation between Egypt and Jordan is expected to lead to the restoration of normal relations between Jordan and neighboring Syria. Syria has been cooperating with Amman since withdrawing its ambassador at the height of Jordan's crackdown on the terrorists two years ago.

## Liuboievic keeps lead in chess tourney

PETROPOLIS, Brazil (AP). — Yugoslavia's Bjelimir Liuboievic retained a half-point lead on Saturday in the international chess playoffs, as he and Lajos Portisch of Hungary agreed to accept a tie in a match suspended earlier.

Brazil's boy wonder, Henrique Mecking, remained in second place by playing to a 32-move tie with Lev Polugaievski of the Soviet Union.

Portisch and Vassilil Hort of Czechoslovakia were the only victors in Saturday's regular matches. Portisch downed Borislav Ivkov of Yugoslavia in 37 moves and advanced to third place in the tournament. Hort beat Peter Byliss of Canada in 61 moves.

Eighteen chess masters from 12 countries are competing in this Brazilian mountain resort for three places in a world tournament that eventually will produce a challenger to champion Bobby Fischer of the U.S. in 1975.

## Makarios accepts vote contest against Grivas

NICOSIA. — Cyprus President Archbishop Makarios yesterday accepted a challenge by guerrilla chief General George Grivas for an electoral contest between them.

But he again rejected a demand by Grivas that he should first resign as the Archbishop, before contesting a Presidential election, as well as other terms for the release of the kidnapped Justice Minister Christos Vakis.

In a "final warning" issued on Saturday, Grivas had threatened "all-out war" if Makarios persisted in rejecting the original terms he submitted last Thursday.

"I reject every one of Grivas' blackmailing terms," Makarios declared in his latest statement replying to Grivas' "final warning," and repeating a similar rejection he made last Friday.

"But I accept with pleasure the challenge for a democratic contest," he said.

"If Grivas wants a return to a peaceful political life, he is called upon to abandon his hideouts and stop being an outlaw, appearing before the people to expound his plans and programme and ask for the people's verdict," Makarios continued.

"My only term to Grivas is that he respect the will and verdict of the people. If the people are not convinced of the correctness of Grivas' policy and do not extend their confidence to him, he should rid Cyprus of his harmful presence," Makarios said.

## ASSASSINATION BID

In his press statement yesterday, Makarios also revealed the timely discovery by police on Saturday of a prepared ambush position from

where EOKA planned to assassinate him. The ambush spot was by the side of the steep, twisting Nicosia-Troodos road near Makarios' summer cottage, which he left to return to Nicosia on Saturday.

Police sources said the ambush positions consisted of five separate fortified, camouflaged gun emplacements overlooking a difficult bend of the mountain road.

"I already had information of the ambush being prepared and the assassination attempt against me, but I found it difficult to believe this, until the camouflaged positions of my would-be assassins and a nearby hide out for their escape were discovered," Makarios said.

Makarios charged that Grivas was planning to assassinate him in his previous reply to Grivas two days ago.

## RADIO BOMBED

The verbal exchanges over the weekend were punctuated by more terrorist activity by the EOKA underground groups of General Grivas.

On Saturday night, four masked men blew up a Cyprus Broadcasting Corporation relay station at Mena, in Paphos, causing extensive damage, according to an official announcement.

The raiders ordered two duty technicians out of the area before destroying the transmitter with explosives, cutting off programmes to the western district of the island.

Nine days ago the CBC headquarters in Nicosia were evacuated and all radio and television programmes went off the air after an anonymous telephone caller said bombs had been planted in the buildings. (A.P. Reuter)

## Kissinger faces tough task in China

PEKING (Reuter). — White House envoy Henry Kissinger's sixth trip to Peking, expected some time after August 15 when the Americans are due to stop bombing in Cambodia, could be his most difficult mission yet in the Chinese capital, diplomatic observers here said yesterday.

His central talks will be to seek a path towards a negotiated settlement of the Cambodian war, which will at least partially preserve the position of Washington's allies in Phnom Penh under President Lon Nol.

But anti-Government forces pressing ever closer to Phnom Penh despite supply problems and massive U.S. air attacks have shown little public sign that they are in a mood to compromise.

Dr. Kissinger, whose first trip to Peking was made in secret just over two years ago to negotiate President Nixon's momentous visit to China, was originally expected to arrive here early this month.

But the visit was postponed after repeated statements by deposed Cambodian leader Prince Norodom Sihanouk from his Peking headquarters that he would refuse to have any dealings with Kissinger or any other U.S. envoy.

## MORE VISITS

The Prince, who heads the Peking based Cambodian government which opposes the Phnom Penh regime, emphasized his point by leaving for North Korea last month. Although he is expected back here by August 10, he is due to leave again after several days for visits to Middle East and North African countries, which will last at least a month.

However, the Prince has reportedly said there is one negotiating loophole for the Americans in their quest for a Cambodian settlement. That is for them to approach representatives of the Khmer Rouge movement which, according to the Prince, is the pre-eminent power both politically and militarily in the anti-Lon Nol struggle.

He has said that Chinese Premier Chou En-lai could possibly act as an intermediary if the Americans decided on an approach to the Khmer Rouge, who normally have several senior representatives in Peking.

Diplomatic observers here believe the crucial question which will decide whether Kissinger's mission to Peking will bear fruit will be the military situation in Cambodia after American bombing ends on August 15.

Indian rail strike halts food to drought-hit areas

NEW DELHI (Reuter). — Thousands of tons of food for drought-hit areas of India piled up yesterday as a strike by train drivers entered its fifth day.

Indian newspapers reported that the strike — in protest against official action against workers who took part in a similar stoppage last May to demand higher wages — had halved the food movement to areas facing grain shortages.

Observers believe that if the strike continues for long, it could lead to disorder in some areas where there have already been food riots this year.

MUSHROOM. — A super mushroom weighing two kilos has been picked by a man in Creon, near Bordeaux, who said he would cook a gargantuan omelette if he could find a one-metre diameter pan.

## White's new book 'Nixon would have won despite Watergate'

By WALTER MEARS

WASHINGTON (AP). — It is doubtful that the full story of the Watergate scandal would have been the unmaking of President Nixon's reelection in 1972, although his landslide margin probably would have been narrowed, writes author Theodore H. White.

On the other hand, White says in "The Making of the President — 1972," had he escaped the taint of Watergate entirely, Nixon might have rolled up a margin no candidate could ever approach.

Dealing with the scandal that unfolded months after the election, White writes:

"At best, Richard Nixon, however magnificent his management of American power abroad, is guilty of gross negligence in management of the power of the White House at home."

"At the worst, which his enemies and friends debate at the moment, he would be found guilty of a specific crime, 'misconduct of justice.'"

Such a charge would cover misconduct by a public official, or the active or passive concealment of a felony.

The book, fourth in White's quadrennial series of Presidential campaign histories, concentrates on the politics of 1972, when the dimensions of the Watergate affair were not clear.

Indeed, White tells of a 2½ hour conversation with Nixon on March 17, 1973, but says he did not raise the question.

"Four days later were to begin those revelations and charges which were to shatter his confidence in himself, the nation's confidence in him, and raise for everyone who writes of American history or politics those unavoidable questions:

## Sadat aide going to Amman for talks today

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter.

A top aide of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat will arrive today in Amman in an apparent bid to press for normalized relations between Egypt and Jordan. He is due to confer with King Hussein and top government leaders.

Relations between the two countries have been strained since Sadat came to power in late 1970, with the issue of the Palestinian sabotage movement being the main source of conflict. Sadat severed his country's diplomatic ties with Amman last year, in protest against King Hussein's federal scheme calling for the establishment of a "Palestinian province" on the West Bank. Hussein called for a "united

Arab kingdom," which would also include a "Jordanian province" on the East Bank.

The Amman visit of the Egyptian aide, Hassan Sabry al-Khouly, who is usually referred to as Sadat's "personal representative," comes during Sadat's efforts to consolidate Arab cooperation in the light of the U.S.-Soviet détente.

Nevertheless, indications were that Sadat was drawing closer to the political views of Hussein, who has recently consolidated his position at home, despite the political and economic sanctions imposed on Jordan by several Arab states.

The possible reconciliation between Egypt and Jordan is expected to lead to the restoration of normal relations between Jordan and neighboring Syria. Syria has been cooperating with Amman since withdrawing its ambassador at the height of Jordan's crackdown on the terrorists two years ago.

## Antlers-shaped gold nugget is found

MOSCOW (AP). — A Soviet miner digging through a pile of rocks has found a gold nugget shaped like a pair of antlers and weighing 3.3 kilos, Tass reported yesterday.

The nugget, now on exhibit at the Irkutsk Mineralogical Museum, was discovered in the Shalkyanka-Berkana mine in eastern Siberia, the Government news agency said.

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## Egypt-Libya talks resume

CAIRO (Reuters). — Talks on the proposed merger between Egypt and Libya resumed in Tripoli yesterday, the Egyptian Middle East News Agency reported from Tripoli.

The discussions started on Saturday night shortly after the arrival in Libya of a high-level Egyptian delegation led by Dr. Abdel Kader Hatem, Egypt's Deputy Premier and Minister of Culture and Information. The Libyan delegation is led by Premier Abdel Salam Jalloud.

Talks between the two sides failed last month and were climaxed by a short-lived resignation of Libyan leader Colonel Muammar Gaddafi, and a march on Egypt by thousands of Libyans demanding an immediate merger.

The new attempt to iron out differences over unity plans must be completed before a September 1 deadline set by President Anwar Sadat and Colonel Gaddafi last year for a referendum in each country on the merger.

In Cairo yesterday, President Anwar Sadat met Omar Saeed, Saudi Arabia's Minister of State for Foreign Affairs, and Kamal Adham, King Faisal's adviser, the Middle East News Agency said.

The agency did not say how long the meeting lasted or what subjects were discussed. It said Anwar Marwan, Sadat's Secretary for Information, attended the meeting before leaving for Tripoli to join the unity talks.

## Syria, Turkey to fight smuggling

DAMASCUS (Reuters). — Syria and Turkey yesterday agreed on ways to combat smuggling and infiltration across their common border, it was officially announced here.

The agreement was reached at a meeting in Qamishli, northern Syria, between Syrian and Turkish border officials. It followed a week-long official visit to Turkey last month by Syria's Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister, Abdel-Halim Khaddam.

## Schoolboy sets two world swim marks

BRISBANE (Reuters). — Stephen Holland, a 15-year-old Australian schoolboy, trimmed a remarkable 14.8 seconds off the men's 1,500 metres freestyle world swimming record when he clocked 15 minutes 37.8 seconds here yesterday.

Holland, who was taking part in Australian trials for the world championships in Belgrade later this month, also clocked eight minutes 37.6 seconds at the 800 metres mark to chop 6.3 seconds off the world record set by fellow Australian Brad Cooper.

## Voodoo makes masseur soccer XI's winning spirit

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP). — Rio's Vasco da Gama major league soccer team has just given a raise to Eduardo Santana to keep rival teams from hiring him away. Santana does not play soccer. He is the rubdown man who also casts voodoo spells to help Vasco win games.

Soccer is a national passion among Brazil's 100 million people. So is voodoo. Although most Brazilians technically are Roman Catholics, millions of them also believe in black magic.

In 1970, Santana predicted he would lead Vasco to a winning season, with the help of his voodoo-patron spirit called Cabocla Jurema. Coincidence or not, Vasco won the Guanabara State — greater Rio — championship for the first time in 12 years.

At that time, Santana was making around \$100 a month — aver-



Overhead view of the mountain of rocks, at lower right, which threatens to collapse over a residential area of the eastern French town of Nantua. Police have evacuated people from their houses along the main Geneva-Lyon highway. (AP radio photo)

## Rock threatens town

NANTUA, France (UPI). — Local authorities said yesterday they have postponed plans to dynamite a 12,000-ton rock which threatened to tumble into a residential area of this alpine village.

They said the 45-metre tall rock apparently stopped in its gradual movement down a slope toward the town where 4,000 persons live, and plans to dynamite the rock within the next 48 hours were discarded.

All persons living in the potential path of the rock had been moved to temporary housing in safe areas of the village.

Until yesterday, the daily pace of the rock — one cm. — was equivalent to the movement recorded for

Alberto Moravia's villa damaged by bomb

FREGENE, Italy (AP). — A small bomb explosion damaged the villa of noted Italian writer Alberto Moravia in this Tyrrhenian sea resort near Rome on Saturday night.

Moravia, a self-declared leftist, was not at the villa at the time of the explosion. Police said they believed the explosion was the work of ultra-right terrorists. No one was hurt and damage was light.

age pay for a soccer masseur. But

after the Vasco victory, offers from other clubs began pouring in. Santana finally signed with Santa Cruz of the northeastern state of Pernambuco for \$600 a month plus bonuses. Santa Cruz won its local championship two years in a row. Santana swore it was because of Cabocla Jurema.

Now Santana is back with Vasco da Gama — at \$700 a month. And the team's management is giving him full freedom to work his witchcraft.

For example, last month before an important Guanabara League match, Santana arrived at Rio's 200,000-seat Maracana Stadium at 8 a.m. He locked himself in his team's dressing room and cleansed it with rock salt "to wash away all evil spirits." Vasco beat traditional rival Flamengo 2-1.

## Protest vessels keep vigil in French test zone

WELLINGTON (Reuters). — Two small privately-owned vessels will continue a silent watchdog vigil over French nuclear tests in the South Pacific today when the New Zealand frigate Canterbury leaves the test area for home.

The American-registered 35-metre schooner Fri and the 14-metre Spirit of Peace from New Zealand will stand sentinel inside the 195 kms. zone declared a danger area by France.

The Fri's captain, David Moodie of San Francisco, said he would stay for another day in the zone.

The Fri had been seized by the French navy inside the forbidden zone on July 18. It was towed outside the 19 kms. limit on Saturday and told to get out of the 195 kms. danger zone.

## Islam chiefs to meet Marcos on suppression

PENANG, Malaysia (AP). — Representatives from four Islamic nations are to arrive in Malaysia this week on their way to Manila to discuss the problems of Muslims in the southern Philippines, an Islamic official said yesterday.

Former Malaysian Prime Minister Tunku Abdul Rahman, now Secretary-General of the International Islamic Secretariat, told newsmen representatives of Saudi Arabia, Libya, Somalia and Guinea would hold final consultations in Malaysia before going to Manila.

The Secretariat was established by more than 25 Muslim nations to look after the welfare of Muslims in the world. The Foreign Ministers of those nations have chosen the four nations to investigate reports that Christians in the Philippines were suppressing the Muslim minority.

Marcos, however, has written to Rahman setting conditions for the mission to Manila, the Philippine Foreign Office said on Friday.

"The coming of a foreign delegation whose purpose is to investigate or enquire into the Muslim situation in the Philippines and to report its findings to the Islamic conference would be a blatant intervention in our internal affairs."

Marcos said, however, he would accept a visit from the Foreign Ministers of those four countries if their stated purpose was to strengthen relations with the Philippines.

## Arson suspected in Springer hotel fire

HAMBURG (Reuters). — A guest house belonging to a conservative West German publisher Axel Springer was badly damaged by fire early yesterday in what police believe to be politically-motivated arson, the Springer Publishing group said here.

Among guests at the holiday house on West Germany's North Sea island of Sylt was former Economics Minister Karl Schiller, the statement said. All the guests were understood to have escaped uninjured after a fire alarm yesterday morning.

The Springer group statement said police found the remains of several incendiary devices, and quoted police as saying the attack was carefully prepared.

Professor Schiller, who resigned from Chancellor Willy Brandt's Social Democratic Party last year, was said to be holidaying on the island, but was not staying at the guest house at the time of the fire, the statement said.

## Physicist flees East Germany for West

MUNICH (Reuters). — Border police said here yesterday that an important East German physicist has fled to West Germany with his wife and two children. A police spokesman would not identify the scientist but said he was 35 and had held an "important position" in East Germany.

The physicist was able to flee to the West while on an official trip to Austria.

## 'Terrorists could build N-bomb'

LONDON (INA). — The possibility of a terrorist gang or a dictator getting hold of a nuclear bomb has been raised in a draft report by the Ford Foundation, the "Sunday Telegraph" reports.

One man working on his own in a basement with ordinary workshop tools, geliger counter and a protective hood could build a bomb small enough to go in the boot of a car, the paper quotes the report as saying. The risk will become greater when large-scale production of plutonium begins in commercial reactors around 1978. By 1980 production will be on a scale large enough to make nuclear theft a practical possibility.

The Ford Foundation report was drawn up by Dr. T. Taylor, of the Washington International Research and Technology Corporation, and M. Willich, Professor of Law at the University of Virginia.

## The high cost of jail

SAN JUAN (UPI). — Cuban police took from six Americans exactly the amount of cash they had among them as a fee for 15 days lodging in jail and for maintenance of their yacht that had been seized, the ship's navigator said yesterday.

The navigator, Delos Mellen of Gulfport, Mississippi, said the bills totalled \$332.95, which was exactly the amount that was confiscated from him and the other five Americans when the ship was seized by Cuban patrol boats on July 13.

Mellen said the patrol boats fired machineguns and began pursuing their cruiser Nicole Robin in what he said were international waters. He and the rest of the crew were taken to Banes, a town on Cuba's northeastern coast. Last Monday they were released and told that since an investigation had shown they were neither spies nor counter-revolutionaries, they were free to leave.

## Peron and wife may head election ticket

BUENOS AIRES (Reuters). — General Juan Peron and his ex-hall-rival wife kept Argentines guessing yesterday about whether they would accept their nominations as Presidential and Vice-Presidential candidates in elections scheduled for next month.

General Peron and his third wife, Isabel, were unanimously chosen to run in the elections at a Justicialist Party congress on Saturday. But the 77-year-old general, who has survived nearly 18 years of exile to emerge as the only man who can command enough support to rule Argentina, has asked for a few days to consider the offer.

In a characteristic manoeuvre, Peron sent his 42-year-old wife to ask the congress to wait for a few days while they decided. Isabel said her husband could not attend personally because he had been ill in recent weeks, casting fears in some political circles that the Peronist dream of sweeping their leader back to power may never come true.

But most Peronists are confident that their leader, who ruled from 1946 to 1955, will accept his nomination and win a landslide election for his third term as President. "I am aging and experience shows that it is dangerous to put your fingers in the fan," Peron, astute political questions, told reporters yesterday.

Shortly after returning here from exile in June, the general was reported suffering from a heart ailment. But most of last week, he was back in full political activity, making two major speeches in which he condemned left-wing guerrilla violence, making it clear that extremist groups would not be tolerated.

Nobody is yet certain if Isabel, who has been married to Peron for



Gen. Peron and his wife Isabel, pictured during their visit to Buenos Aires last year.

12 years, will accept her nomination. For millions of Peronists, her nomination was seen as a unique chance to complete a chapter of their history which ended in tragedy in 1955, when Peron's legendary second wife, Evita, died at 33. Evita, regarded almost as a saint, was also nominated as a Vice-Presidential candidate, but she turned it down partly under military pressure, and because she was dying of cancer.

## Mortars fired at Ulster army base

BELFAST (UPI). — Gunmen fired five mortar shells at an army post outside Belfast late Saturday but failed to hit it, the army said yesterday. Snipers fired on soldiers in Belfast on Saturday evening but caused no casualties.

A gunman shot and seriously wounded a part-time militiaman in Dungannon, 56 kms. west of Belfast, on Saturday, then escaped in a car. The soldier of the Ulster Defence Regiment (militia) was standing talking in the crowded street when the gunman shot him in the neck, chest and leg. The gunman's get-away car was later found burned outside the town.

All the mortar shells fired at an army post at Lurgan, 24 kms. west of Belfast, fell short of their target, one of them landing in the grounds of an unoccupied school. No one was hurt, and troops did not return the fire.

Police broadcast a week-end warning to store owners to check against fire bombs on their premises. The warning came after four stores were firebombed on Friday.

## 38 deaths this year from Hiroshima bomb

HIROSHIMA (UPI). — Thirty-eight more persons suffering from the effects of the bombing of Hiroshima died in the atomic bomb hospital here during the first half of this year, a hospital spokesman said yesterday. The disclosure came on the eve of the 28th anniversary of the dropping of an atom bomb on this city.

A total of 4,886 persons have been treated in the hospital for the effects of the bomb and 950 have died, the spokesman said. There are currently 156 bomb patients hospitalized.

## Boy tells of escape from Portuguese

LONDON (UPI). — The "Sunday Times" yesterday published an interview with an African boy named Antonio, who said he escaped from a massacre of villagers by Portuguese troops in Mozambique.

The newspaper's reporter said Antonio, aged about 15, told him that his father, Mixoni, his mother, Filipa, his elder brother Luciano and his 10-year-old sister Rita had died in the massacre, and his half-sister had been wounded in the shoulder.

Reporter Peter Fringle said he could not reveal the exact circumstances of how he contacted the

boy, as this would implicate other contacts still in Mozambique. "But I am satisfied that he could not have been 'planted' for political purposes by Frelimo, the anti-Portuguese guerrillas," Fringle said.

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He said he got Antonio to describe what happened into Fringle's cassette tape recorder. But "the secret police later confiscated the tape recording and my written notes," he said. "But as soon as I was able, I wrote fresh notes from memory."

He gives the boy's account of said.

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## Dig near Beersheba may confirm theory



Excavation goes on at the Israelite storehouse.



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## 'THE SITE OF ANCIENT ZIKLAG'

By H. BEN-ADI  
Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — Archaeological excavations now in progress at Tel-es-Saariyeh, 20 kms. north-west of this town, may confirm the theory that this was the site of the Biblical city of Ziklag where David took refuge from King Saul.

The dig, now half way through its second stage, is directed by Dr. Eliezer Oren, head of the Negev University's Department of Archaeology.

Working with him are archaeologists from other Israeli universities, as well as 50 volunteers from Israel, the U.S., Germany, Holland and France. This season's excavations will end on August 18.

Tel-es-Saariyeh ("the hill of barley") lies in a plain near Nahal Gharar and covers a 16-dunam area. Its history goes back to the 16th century B.C.E., when it was a Canaanite town under Egyptian rule.

Last year's excavations unearthed a temple of the late Canaanite period (late 18th century B.C.E.), a storehouse from the period of the Kingdom of Israel (10th to ninth centuries B.C.E.) and the remains of a Philistine settlement.

The most important discovery from the Canaanite period is a collection of pottery bearing in-

scriptions in hieratic Egyptian dealing with taxes for either the local sanctuary or fortress. The discoveries from the late Philistine period (1100 B.C.E.) were found under thick layers of ash—indicating its destruction at the end of that period.

The most important buildings found on the Tel date back to the beginnings of the Kingdom of Israel. They include public buildings, among them grain storehouses where many vessels were found in situ. No private buildings were found here.

This year's excavations are concentrated in four places — on top of the Tel, on its eastern and western slopes and in the Romano-Byzantine area to the south of the Tel.

Dr. Oren hopes they will reveal exactly when the Canaanite settlement originated, and tell more about the temple and the Kingdom of Israel period uncovered so far.

In one room of a storehouse excavated during the current dig is a kitchen containing many cooking and storage pots. Another room held vessels and palettes for cosmetics, as well as a block of pigments.

Recent excavations on the western slope confirm that the Canaanite settlement was founded at the beginning of the late

Canaanite period (18th century B.C.E.). Various objects from Cyprus were found there. Additional rooms of the 18th century B.C.E. cultic sanctuary uncovered on the eastern slope contained ritual objects mixed with animal bones and ash.

One Egyptian-type vessel found had large hieratic writing in ink stating the amount of barley paid as tax by a local citizen. Next to it was a small scarab about 2 cm. in size, with the cartouche of Pharaoh Ramses II and the inscription "The crown of Lower and Upper Egypt. The lover of Truth. The manifestation of Amon Re" (1804-1237 B.C.E.).

In one room a piece of krater from Mycenaean was found with a drawing on it of a chariot with four-spoked wheels. Vessels of this kind are very rare in Israel until now only three are said to have been found, one at Dan, one in Beit Shimon and one at Tel Ajlul near Gaza.

On the southern slopes of the Tel a Byzantine bath dating to the fifth century B.C.E. was uncovered. It has a red brick heating chamber, channels for water and clay pipes built into the walls.

The identification of Tel-es-Saariyeh with ancient towns mentioned in the Bible has long been debated among archaeologists and historians. Present excavations, however, seem to support its identification with the Biblical city of Ziklag. Ziklag is mentioned in Joshua 15:31 as one of the towns of Judah and in Chronicles as a city in the extreme south of Judah, assigned to the tribe of Simeon. In the days of King Saul it paid tribute to the Philistine city of Gath. King David held it as a vassal of their King Achish. It was captured, plundered and

burned by the Amalekites, but David pursued them and recovered the spoil. Ziklag was a city of refuge for King David and served him as a base for the campaign which resulted in his becoming King.

Dr. Oren says that he has no concrete proof yet that Tel-es-Saariyeh is Ziklag. He relies heavily on statements in the Bible and the distribution of satellite settlements in the area which point to the Tel as the main city. He hopes to find definite proof during further excavations.

Tel-es-Saariyeh was inhabited until Byzantine times and later abandoned. There are traces of a Byzantine church or monastery and Dr. Oren hopes to find the mosaic floor of the building.

## Sugar-beet men want increase

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — The growers of more than half Israel's sugar-beet crop have threatened that they will not begin planting this year unless the Government raises their price by more than 50 per cent.

About 10 per cent of the sugar consumed in Israel is from locally-grown beets. The present price is IL68 a ton (for beets yielding 18 per cent sugar). The Negev and southern area growers, meeting here last Friday, said they had sent telegrams to the Finance, Agriculture and Commerce Ministers saying that they wanted IL150 a ton.

They said that despite a good crop last year, they had at best a broken even. They also called on the Government to increase the acreage for local beets.

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## Setting a brave example

The Israel Festival. Yosi Zivoni, violin; Jonathan Zak, piano. (Tel Aviv Museum, July 30). Schubert: Sonata in D Major No. 1; Bartok: Sonata for unaccompanied Violin; Seter: Sonata for unaccompanied Violin; Brahms: Sonata in G Major Op. 78, No. 1.

FIRST of all, Yosi Zivoni is to be congratulated on his exemplary programme: a solid block of two contemporary, unaccompanied sonatas in the centre, with Schubert and Brahms providing a more conventional frame. His choice of works sets an example to our young generation of violinists who completely neglect the modern and Israeli repertoire, preferring the emptiness of a piece by Ysaye to the work of Bartok or Seter.

Zivoni's playing is characterised by a remarkable spiritual stability, a firm and flawless technical execution and a brilliant tone. Instrumentally speaking, he deserves only the highest praise, but from the purely musical point of view he was not always completely convincing.

Schubert's Sonata was most pleasing: light in sound and unpretentious in expression. But Bartok is more demanding, and cannot be done justice to by a merely formal approach. Zivoni seemed unable to reach much beyond the formal element, although the clarity and logic of his textures were admirable. He was also unable to give enough meaning to Seter's first movement but seemed more inspired in the second, the Lento espressivo. In his playing of Brahms, the clear and somewhat metallic tone he had applied to Bartok, became mellow and melodious but musically, again, Zivoni responded to only part of the message.

Jonathan Zak contributed his full and rich share.

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## A touch of heresy

The Israel Festival. The Israel Chamber Ensemble. Conductors: Pinchas Zukerman; Itzhak Perlman and Pinchas Zukerman. August 11. Mozart programme: Concerto in G Major for 3 Violins K. 189; Violin Concerto in G Major, K. 216; Serenade in D Major, K. 256 ("Serenade").

IT may sound like heresy, but an evening dedicated exclusively to Mozart's early violin works, followed by the hour-long "Serenade" Serenade, seemed a little one-sided and in spite of the superb solo playing and the sweetness of the music, did not provide enough variation. On the other hand, the concert was interesting because it offered an opportunity to compare the two violinists and make the acquaintance of a new conductor: Pinchas Zukerman.

Although the participation of an "outside" conductor would perhaps have somewhat destroyed the special character of the evening and possibly introduced an alien element, there is no doubt that Zukerman would be well advised to stick to his métier as a violinist. As a conductor he is an amateur and if the "Serenade" did not fare any worse, it was because the Ensemble is now a well-disciplined and closely knit body. As a violinist, the music he produced was all charm, sweetness and elegance. But his conducting was clumsy and uninspired, boring. The highlight of the evening was Perlman's magnificent rendering of the G Major Concerto. He played it with a silvery tone and in the superb second movement he reached heights of great beauty.

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## Nixon aides blamed for alleged seduction plan

WASHINGTON (Reuter). — An apartment furnished with velvet wallpaper and fur rugs was part of a plan to seduce young women and discover details of Senator Edward Kennedy's private life, according to a "Washington Post" report last week.

Government attorneys have been told the apartment was to be used to seduce women friends of the late Mary Jo Kopechne, a 26-year-old secretary who was killed in Senator Kennedy's car when it crashed at Chappaquiddick, Massachusetts, in July 1969, the newspaper said.

Sources said the scheme involved employing a good-looking man to seduce the women in the apartment, photograph them secretly and then blackmail the women into revealing details about Miss Kopechne and the party that took place shortly before the Chappaquiddick incident, the newspaper reported.

It said interviews with government and non-government sources had turned up 16 previously unreported White House investigations, mostly conducted by Mr. Anthony Ulasewicz, a former New York policeman who has appeared twice before the Senate Watergate Committee.

The sources said virtually all the orders for the Ulasewicz investigations originated with former White House aide John Ehrlichman and H.R. Haldeman, who is now giving evidence before the Committee.

Mr. Ulasewicz was said to have denied any involvement in the scheme and there was no indication it was ever put into operation.

Senator Kennedy was told by press aide of the Kopechne matter but made no comment. Mr. Ehrlichman told the Senate committee last week that he had no knowledge of the plan.

The sources said there were other investigations conducted on behalf of the White House during the Nixon's first term, such as the investigation of a scandal involving President Nixon, whose seduction of a White House staff member, the "Washington Post" reported, and the production of the 1971 film "Millhouse, a White Comedy" concerning Mr. Nixon's political career. The President's middle name is Milhouse.

## Haifa kiosk men complain over Egged change

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — THE six owners of the shops and kiosks at the Egged terminal in Haifa complain that they will lose their livelihood when the terminal is transferred to Bat Galim in about two months. They told the press last week that their pleas to Egged to allow them space at the new terminal or to compensate them for loss of income had gone unanswered.

A spokesman for the group said that in desperation they had appealed last year to the late Mayor, Moshe Fleiman, who had urged Egged to negotiate with them. The Mayor's pleas were ignored, the spokesman said.

An Egged spokesman has insisted that the company is "trying to be humane" in handling the issue.

The six owners said that they paid substantial sums in key-money for their exclusive rights.

The site of the old terminal is owned by Egged, or one of its subsidiaries, and it appears that the kiosk owners enjoy the rights of protected tenants. However, once the new terminal is opened their income is likely to drop sharply.

The owner of a buffet at the present terminal, Maurice Pridemont, claims that some of the shopping premises at the new terminal were bought by Egged directly as an investment for IL120,000 and were now changing hands at over IL200,000.

The Egged spokesman, Mordechai Shifman, told The Jerusalem Post that the kiosk and shop-owners had received answers to all their letters and had also discussed their complaints with Egged officials.

Everyone who applied for rights at the new station "was directed to our subsidiary Mifalei Ha-tachanot, where they were able to get a store according to the market price."

Mr. Shifman said that no one was deprived of his rights. The store owners knew a very long time ago that we were building the new station and that eventually we would move there.

"We are willing to reach an agreement with everyone, according to the law. We are trying to be humane but we need the help of the other side, since being humane is a two-way street."

## Job plan for professionals

Jerusalem Post Reporter

A programme for the mass re-training of immigrant professionals was one of the ideas broached at a special meeting held in the office of Labour Minister Yosef Aloni on Friday. The meeting was called to explore possible measures to avert a job shortage for professionals, as forecast in a recent report by the Ministry.

Another idea put forward was that the Government should assist professionals to establish "know-how cooperatives." These would help their services — engineering or research and development, for example — to industries unable to maintain such departments themselves.

Also at the meeting were Moshe Kopechne, head of the Manufacturers' Association; Asher Yadin, Director-General of Hewlett-Packard; Yacov Salomon, Director of State Corporations; and representatives of the Defence Ministry, Civil Service Commission and Engineers' Association.

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# THE TWO TYPES OF WOMEN WHO HELP TO NURTURE GENIUS

## The 'Jocasta' and the 'Jewish' mother



Michelangelo and Sartre.... started with the right type of mother.

TO be a genius, it seems, it helps to start with the right sort of mother.

According to Dr. Matthew Bedine, an American psychologist who has been looking into these things over many years, there are two such kinds of mothers.

There is the 'Jocasta-type' (Jocasta was the mother of Oedipus, who enjoyed an unusually close relationship with her son.) In the home where the father is absent for long periods, or is present but romantically neglectful of his wife, the mother may compensate for her loneliness by seeking from one of her children, usually a son, the warmth, closeness and companionship she would normally have enjoyed with her husband. On him she may lavish all her affection, and devote all her energies to the task of bringing him up.

### The seed flowers

Among geniuses who had Jocasta type mothers were Leonardo da Vinci, Michelangelo, Heine, Goethe, and Jean-Paul Sartre. 'Jocasta mothering,' says Dr. Bedine, 'appears to be the style of mothering in which the seed of gift, talent and genius flowers most spectacularly.' Stimulated from the beginning by his mother's rich fantasy life, her intellectual interests, and her artistic skills the Jocasta child becomes exceptionally creative and vastly ambitious.

But there are disadvantages. He is also likely to have a strong homosexual bent, to be in the 'Psychoanalytic Review,' guilt-ridden, egocentric and afraid of intimacy and love. Jocasta only has to be dedicated, and if or, if they do marry, to stay married. When Goethe got en-

### Jewish fathers

Jewish fathers, too, tend to be more involved with their home and children than the average father. Both parents set high ideals and goals for their children, and encourage and help them to develop their faculties. It is not accidental that children from such parents achieve more, and are more likely to become eminent.

Fortunately, says Dr. Bedine, in the 'Psychoanalytic Review,' one doesn't have to be Jewish to be a 'Jewish mother.' One only has to be dedicated, and if or, if they do marry, to stay married. When Goethe got en-

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GOING TO a new school in a new country, where a foreign language is spoken, can be trying for a normal child. But for the child with serious learning difficulties — a child who has enough trouble learning in a familiar environment and in his native tongue — the transition can be traumatic.

Since he himself immigrated from New York three years ago, Zvi Stiskin, a specialist in the education of emotionally disturbed and brain-damaged children, has been able to offer help, through Summit Schools International, to a number of immigrant parents (and foreign diplomats) whose children have learning disabilities.

Until now, Summit Schools International has offered an after-school treatment programme for children whose learning problems are not so serious that they cannot attend regular classes; well over 100 children at the organization's two branches include about 10 per cent new immigrants. Their after-school instruction at Summit Schools is conducted in whatever language is used in their regular classroom: Hebrew for those in Israeli schools, and English for those at the American School.

But the problem, Mr. Stiskin explained when he invited me to the school in Tel Aviv's Hayarkon Street to hear about plans to start a morning programme for immigrants, 'is with those newcomers whose problems are sufficiently severe to require a special school. The Israeli special schools for these kids are very good. But the immigrant child who is thrown off balance by the new surroundings and the new language is not ready for a class conducted in Hebrew — even if it's the best class in the world. We can start them off working in their own language and then gradually switch to Hebrew.'

In many cases, we can place the child in an Israeli classroom after a few months. But if an individual child has to stay with us two years before he's ready

# Helping immigrant children with learning problems



Games to sharpen perception, concentration and memory. (Israel San)

### Easily distracted

Some of the children are physically awkward. All find it hard to concentrate in class and are easily distracted by everything they see or hear; they cannot make the distinction, which the rest of us make automatically and unconsciously, between sights and sounds which are relevant and those which are not.

'We don't know which comes first, but children with these problems usually find it hard to focus their eyes or to follow a line. It is difficult for them to master reading and when they finally learn the mechanics, they have no energy left to deal with comprehending the content of what they read.'

'Children with learning disabilities can be of average or above-average intelligence. How-

ever, low intelligence coupled with a learning disability is one of the cases where a child may need to be in a special school.'

The children who will be attending the morning courses have the same problems, only to a more serious degree.

'We do not call ourselves a school. We are an educational treatment programme, which also includes psychological counselling for both children and parents.'

While the after-school programme is mainly treatment-oriented, including games to sharpen perception, concentration, and memory, the morning programme will also have to include general school subjects, so that the children will not fall behind in their studies.

'If a child in fourth grade comes to us reading at first-grade level, we don't guarantee to bring his reading up to par. Our job is to supplement the school, or the private tutor, by trying to solve the problems that make him a poor reader. Then his reading can be improved.'

If there are four or five children in the morning class, the cost will be around \$1,650 a month for each child. Where possible, parents will pay the tuition themselves.

'But I wouldn't want any parent to be frightened away because of the cost. If our tests show that this programme is the right one for a particular child, but his parents cannot afford it, it may be possible to get some help towards the cost. Of course this is something we would have to discuss with each family on an individual basis.'

Mr. Stiskin hopes that parents who think their children need this service — including potential immigrants planning to come to Israel — will contact him at Summit Schools International, 140 Hayarkon Street, Tel Aviv — telephone 238575.

'We know of some cases where families left the country because their kids needed a class like this and it wasn't available. Other families just don't come. This is what we want to help avoid.'

# Change of mind on brothels

PARIS (AP). — Former Paris city councillor Marthe Richard, who sponsored the abolition of brothels in France in 1946, said yesterday she has changed her mind and now believes women's true liberation must include the right to earn their living as prostitutes.

Prostitution is not illegal in France, but procuring and operating brothels are subject to severe prison terms under a law which bears the name of Marthe Richard, now 84.

In a radio interview, Mrs. Richard said brothels should be reopened and allowed to operate freely, as in West Germany. 'The law which carries my name is out of date,' she said. 'I struggled all my life not against prostitution but for the liberation of women. And in 1973, a woman's freedom requires that she be allowed to do whatever she likes with her body.'

While urging the reopening of brothels, Mrs. Richard denounced the spread of pornography and said cinemas habitually showing pornographic films should be closed.

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POP, Mop and Top are the eye-catching names of the new products of Shemen Industries, currently being released to the retail market. 'Pop' is a cleaning fluid for stainless steel, wall tiles and formica; 'Mop' is for rugs and upholstery; 'Top' is for polishing windows and other glass surfaces. They come in plastic bottles (Beware that the tops are screwed on tightly; some aren't). Shemen has also improved its hand-laundering powders, 'Or' and 'Bio-Or' with a new Spray Mix process, which is supposed to make the granules firmer, lighter and less apt to lump together.

# Police send out wives to picket

BEVERLY HILLS, California (UPI). — The Beverly Hills police thought an out-and-out strike would be a bit too strong for the sensibilities of this affluent city. It also would be illegal.

So they sent their wives and children into the streets of the business district on Saturday to protest against the lack of agreement in the negotiations for a police pay raise.

The 89-man force and the city council have not been able to reach agreement for six weeks. The officers want a 14 per cent raise to bring their pay scales in line with the Los Angeles police. The city council has proposed a five per cent raise.

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# The U.S. discovers acupuncture

By CHARLES FOLEY

LOS ANGELES (UPI). — ACUPUNCTURE, once regarded with heavy scepticism by American doctors, is being used widely in the western United States — particularly in California, the experimental state.

Twelve months ago, there was hardly a doctor in the country who would have agreed that acupuncture could become a popular and open practice in the United States. Today, scientists' scores of 'medical schools and research institutes are exploring its uses, health insurance companies are including it in their coverage and, inevitably, a number of charlatans with long needles and dubious credentials are turning willing, winning victims into human pin cushions to small purpose.

# Experts agree

In this highly controversial new field of medicine, the experts appear to agree on one point: that acupuncture, when properly performed, does work. The Chinese have been using the technique for some 5,000 years, there should be little surprise over that — but there is, and now even state legislatures are declaring this ancient art of alleviating pain by inserting thin needles in certain parts of the body to be 'a learned profession.'

cently by Nevada lawmakers when, by an almost unanimous vote, they legalised acupuncture, herbal medicine and other medical practices from the East. The State Medical Association had lobbied hard against the law, but the legislators were convinced by the expertise of Professor Lok Yee-kung of Hong Kong, warmly supported by the Madison Avenue skill of Mr. Arthur Steinberg, a real estate developer from Las Vegas who is the founder and president of what he calls the American Society of Acupuncture.

Mr. Steinberg says he was converted to belief in needle therapy by Professor Lok in Hong Kong last year, when treatment improved his hearing and stopped his wife's migraine headaches. But when Mr. Steinberg tried to interest American physicians, he got the cold shoulder. He hired a Las Vegas advertising firm which used television commercials to such effect that the society swelled its membership to 10,000 with dues at \$10 a year.

Mr. Steinberg brought Professor Lok to Nevada, installing him in a clinic across the street from the State Capitol in Carson City, where he treated more than 100 sufferers including half the state's 60 legislators. 'People were falling over themselves to get treatment,' says a local doctor. 'It was like a mini-Louise.'

to perform acupuncture under the supervision of licensed doctors was vetoed recently in California by Governor Ronald Reagan; but it is perfectly legal for a physician with only the most minimal acupuncture training to use the technique as part of treatment. Many are, and medical authorities say even more laymen are practising it illegally here.

Horror stories abound. Of the retired bank manager-turned acupuncturist whose patients winced as the needle goes in (it's supposed to be painless), who gives out handbills indicating the cost of treatment (a \$50 minimum), and who scratches his head with his antiseptic surgical gloves on. Or the specialist who has hired a well-known theatrical agent to advertise his newly-learned accomplishment. Or the doctor who is trying to sell an electrically-operated needle machine, allegedly smuggled out of China.

On the other hand, there is no lack of reports about acupuncture's sunny side. A score of operations have been performed at a Los Angeles clinic, including a leg operation and a gall-bladder removal. At the University of California's Los Angeles hospital an obstetrician has used acupuncture to ease labour in a dozen difficult deliveries. Now the possibility that stimulation of certain acupuncture points may be used to induce abortions is being studied.

# LIONS CAUSE BEACH PANIC

LADISPOLI, Italy (UPI). — Three friendly but misunderstood lions caused panic yesterday when they escaped from their travelling circus and wandered about this beach resort for several hours until circus personnel came and led them away, police said.

The lions escaped from their cages in the early afternoon, sending pedestrians and motorists fleeing from the central area of Ladispoli, 25 kilometres from Rome on the Mediterranean coast.

Two of the lions headed towards the beach, from which sunbathers fled. They sat down to lick their paws and bask in the sun until their trainers came and took them away, police said. The third lion stayed in town, approaching stray pedestrians and motorists fleeing from him.



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## CAMBODIA'S FATE

THE anticipated fall of Phnom Penh to Cambodian Communist forces, supplied by the North Vietnamese, could doom the January 1973 Paris agreements on the future of Vietnam. Although a separate agreement was discussed for Cambodia, it was clear that that country would be covered by various clauses of the Paris agreements and that any major change in its situation would undermine the complex and delicate system worked out by Henry Kissinger and Le Duc Tho.

Furthermore, it appears that the continued American bombing of Cambodia could not save its capital and that the impending bombing halt on August 15 will not change the situation.

President Nixon will find it almost impossible to win any support in Congress for additional funds, extension of the bombing or even the commitment of ground forces to that area. The shadow of Watergate now hovers over his foreign policy as well, and the revelations that Congress and the American people were not informed about the real nature of American air activity over Cambodia since 1969 will not help

the President to secure understanding and support if he will want to intervene in the fighting.

The Communists are banking on the general international inclination to let the parties fight it out among themselves in South-East Asia. After the Nixon-Brezhnev summit and before the forthcoming visit of Henry Kissinger to Peking and the much anticipated Chou En-lai visit to Washington, the U.S. will probably not take any major step that could be interpreted as another intervention. Although Mr. Nixon condemned Congress for "abandoning a friend," in deciding to cut off funds for bombing after August 15, he is unlikely to undo his major foreign policy achievement — the end of the Vietnam war and the Sino-American rapprochement.

But in the process, the entire region will probably slowly fall into Communist hands with the next target being Thailand. That country is already putting out feelers towards Peking hoping to avert the fate of parts of South Vietnam and Laos, and now, it appears, most of Cambodia.

## BLOODSHED

ONCE more the terrorists can chalk up a victory. Two men, armed, it seems, with machine guns and grenades, fired into a crowd of 1,500 packed into a transit lounge in Athens airport, killed three persons and caused injury to another 50 some of them as they were trying to break out from this mad scene through glass doors and windows.

We do not know at this time whether the two men, one a Palestinian, one an Egyptian, were in fact intending to carry out a hijack and changed their plan at the last minute, when the transit passengers were unexpectedly subjected to a search. Dr. George Habash's Palestine Liberation Organization has claimed in the two weeks since the hijacking of the JAL plane

that it does not intend to hijack any more planes "for the time being"; in fact, all recent terrorist actions have been carefully disavowed by the official terrorist organizations who would apparently like to leave the impression that the terrorists, so well provided with arms, money and hide-outs, are simple refugees acting on their own initiative.

It seems likely that these disclaimers are part of an agreement with the Lebanon, which does not wish to experience another raid like that on Beirut earlier this year, when three terrorist leaders were killed. The terrorist leadership itself may feel safer if it refuses all responsibility. The question is of course whether anyone can or will believe them.

## Dry Bones



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## Pressure of oil firms

A number of papers discuss the this would harm Washington's free message to stockholders from the dam of decision in international form: urging U.S. support of the Arab cause for peace in the Middle East.

Davar (Histadrut), confident of considerable drop for the Alignment the firmness of U.S. policy, does not and a corresponding rise for Gahal believe that the pressure from the Arab cause for peace in the Middle East will have any real impact on the Jewish community in the U.S. Government's omissions in the chain of side-flick the American's biggest, has been hit with 26 suits across the country in the wake of the decision.

In other parts of the nation, local prosecutors are driving "Playboy" from the newstands, closing down sex cinemas and raiding bookstores galore; but here in sprawling Los Angeles County, District Attorney Joseph Busch says: "I expect no significant rise in the number of pornography-related prosecutions."

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# HARD DAYS FOR THE PORNO MEN



Not for the family...

Leaders of the war against erotica are delighted with the U.S. Supreme Court ruling, which lays the way open for small-town censorship and police seizures.

IN the aftermath of the United States Supreme Court's ruling on pornography, which has passed the buck to local legislators, tycoons of the skidtrade are feeling the pinch in California, a main supplier for America's \$600 million porn industry. Leagues of Decency from coast to coast are having trouble suppressing their crowds of triumph. And in the more reputable reaches of the film and book business there is much concern and confusion.

Fear of small-town censorship or police seizure has stopped production on some films. Many publishing executives and magazine editors foresee long and costly legal battles ahead over "serious" works which fail to conform to the mores of Middle America.

What the Nixon-appointed Supreme Court did in its ruling on June 21 was to open a path for tough new restrictions on erotica by local legislators. No longer will national standards prevail, under the 8-to-4 opinion written by Chief Justice Warren Burger. The famous loophole — the one about material being "utterly without redeeming social value" — is gone, and in its place is a far more ambiguous phrase advising that books and movies should be judged on their "serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value."

Unfortunately, it is already apparent that not every local bigwig is willing to make the distinction between commercial exploitation and sexual candour in one of those "serious" works of art. A majority of critics put Mike Nichols' movie "Carnal Knowledge" in the "serious" category. Prosecutors in Georgia banned it just the same.

And the real pornographers — are they worried? There are few signs of it in either Los Angeles or San Francisco, which have both been dubbed "porn capitals of the world" in recent years. (Los Angeles has a lead in production of erotica, San Francisco in its exhibition.) Along Santa Monica Boulevard, Hollywood's porn row, lined with adult stores and bookshops, it is very much business as usual. A few entrepreneurs have strapped half a bikini on the dancers; others continue to offer "live total nudity."

In San Francisco's North Beach area, the "topless" and "bottomless" clubs are still operating. The adult bookstores appear unaffected, and the state's "Los Angeles Times" continues to carry a daily page of ads for hard-core films, although some are facing legal action. The Los Angeles-based Rausan Theater chain of side-flick theaters, America's biggest, has been hit with 26 suits across the country in the wake of the decision.

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the decision to cost his big publishing house millions of dollars and weeks of work in legal fees as the 50 state legislatures begin revising their laws after the summer recess.

Many publishers fear a return to the situation in which Joyce's "Ulysses" and Lawrence's "Lady Chatterley's Lover" were banned. "The First Amendment is in jeopardy," says Mr. Bernstein. A coalition of book and magazine publishers has been formed which will petition for clarification of the Supreme Court decision and set up a defense fund for the coming court battles. It will also lobby among state lawmakers in the hope of avoiding a flood of legislation that could cripple the industry.

Magazine owners and editors are no less alarmed. "Playboy" publisher Hugh Hefner, who rejects the notion that anything in his seven-million circulation men's magazine could fall, even remotely, under Supreme Court ban, acknowledges that some of his material might be "misinterpreted" in the Mid-West.

"Playboy" like its imitators "Oui" and "Penthouse" has been seized by police in a few small towns in Ohio, Alabama and Georgia. "It's an uncertain period, and any publisher is going to have to consider compromise," says Mr. Hefner. He, too, thinks the ruling a violation of the First Amendment to the Constitution (which bars any abridgement of freedom of speech or of the press.)

### A wary eye

The big film companies are also casting a wary eye over forthcoming productions. The new ruling could lose them money. Paramount Pictures has already been involved in a skirmish with a film based in Dallas, Texas, which didn't approve of the way a child star in "Paper Moon" smoked and swore.

Although the film industry had rated the picture "PG," meaning that parental guidance was advised for children who wished to see it, the Dallas board insisted on a "not suitable for children" warning in all advertisements.

Hollywood, never noted for sexual boldness until the recent vogue for independent production, is drawing in its financial horns. Major distributors have withdrawn their backing from plans to film Hubert Selby's highly-praised novel "Last Exit to Brooklyn," a violent story of New York low-life which was the subject of a much-publicized court case in Britain a few years back.

Producer Steve Krantz explains: "No one will make a picture now if there's a risk that it'll be banned by at least 30 per cent of the communities in the U.S." And "Last Exit" which deals in murder, rape, homosexuality and more would be such a film. "What's OK in Chicago is out in Cleveland," says Mr. Krantz. "We'd need a hundred different versions."

Leaders of the war on pornography — who are delighted with the Nixonite Supreme Court ruling — claim that it means a return to the bad old days of censorship and prosecution on the whim of any Keene-America-Clean vigilante. "We don't want to go to extremes," says an official of the Los Angeles-based Citizens for Decent Literature. "We don't want to put panties on piano legs. But this will be a tremendous encouragement to prosecutors everywhere. It's what we've hoped and prayed for, for years."

### THE TEL AVIV MUSEUM

27-29 Sderot Shaul Hamalech

CHANGE IN VISITING HOURS ON TISHA BE'AV

The Tel Aviv Museum will be closed on Tisha Be'Av.

The Museum will close on Monday, August 6 at 6.30 p.m. and reopen on Tuesday, August 7, at 7 p.m.

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## PROBLEMS OF THE ENGLISH SETTLER

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post  
Sir, — With regard to your various articles on the situation of Georgian Jews and their problems. As an English immigrant, I should like to point out that we too have our problems, financial, language-wise and with regard to social adjustment. We have also left a comfortable living in a highly sophisticated society. In fact, I would say that, although we have the advantage of speaking a prominent language here, we have the disadvantage of not having family here, and as the English (or in fact Anglo-Saxon) immigration figures are very low, have not such a wide circle of friends from the same environment; so maybe we have to attempt at least a much, if not more, to adjust. I am not making a point of complaining about any given problem just to reiterate that although we do not get much publicity, Anglo-Saxons have to get over their initial problems too, and learn to become an integrated and useful part of this society.

ANNE BRUSKIN

Jerusalem, July 28.

## MORAL QUOTIENT OF JOURNALISTS

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post  
Sir, — I am somewhat troubled by your report (July 23) of President Katsir's address to the Israel Editors' Committee, in which he purportedly suggested that journalists should be judged by their "moral quotient."

In case any of the listening journalists were engaged by the image of themselves as soldiers of morality, I append a quote from W.H. Auden, who's survived this sort of thing, and with honour.

"The integrity of a writer is more threatened by appeals to his moral conscience, his political or religious convictions, than by appeals to his cupidity. It is morally less confusing to be goaded by a travelling salesman than by a bishop."

MAGGIE NUNLEY

Beerseba, July 25.

## THE DOCTOR AS ADMINISTRATOR

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post  
Sir, — On July 20, you published an article, "The Sickness of the Sick Funds," by Macabee Dean. One of the key findings of the article was that "We must also develop a cadre of doctors who are willing to become administrators. And in order to do this, it must be possible for young doctors to get their administrative training here in Israel, as part of their post-graduate study, if not as a recognized specialist skill."

I am pleased to inform you that, within the framework of the Regional University Centre for Health Sciences in the Negev, a Post-Graduate School of Health Administration and Health Economics will open in October 1973. In the meantime, two workshops of Health Administration and Health Economics will take place at our University during the coming academic year 1973/74. The first workshop will be held December 30, 1973 through January 11, 1974, and the second workshop will take place during the summer of 1974. The workshops are being planned for Israel's senior health administrators, with the participation of foreign faculty.

MOSHE PRYVES, M.D.  
President, University of the Negev  
Beerseba, July 24.

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## Readers' letters

### KHAN SHOW ON JERUSALEM

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post  
Sir, — I would like to make a few comments concerning the controversy surrounding the show at the Khan, "Something about Jerusalem." I, Messrs. Golan and Margalit, were contracted to provide interviews dealing with relationships between people of different cultural backgrounds and the attitudes of Jerusalemites to their city. What was wanted was not the personal or political opinions of Golan and Margalit, but their talents as interviewers. In passing, it is interesting to note that Golan and Margalit found it necessary to interview each other in order to provide material expressing "the unity of the people and the city, and our humane attitude towards the Arabs." Comments which do not appear in the remainder of the material they supplied to us.

2. The interviews were to be used partially, or in full, depending on the needs of the show. Messrs. Golan and Margalit supplied us with approximately 25 hours of excellent material of which, obviously, only a small percentage could appear in the two-hour performance. Golan and Margalit, as newspapermen, should know all too well about editing!

3. In addition to the documentary material, original, creative material was also required; and with the full knowledge and acceptance of Golan and Margalit, another writer was employed for this purpose. Golan and Margalit periodically attended rehearsals and were able to see what their material was being used, and how it was being used.

There is a statement in the programme of the show that "since the play is based on interviews, not always do the opinions represented on the stage correspond with those of the interviewers." This statement is entirely their privilege and would seem more than sufficient to clear their names of any taint. But their excessive over-reaction, and their portrayal of themselves as two innocent newspapermen at the mercy of lying, cheating, politically-motivated theatre people is just a little hard to take. I'm sorry that Golan and Margalit don't like the final result of the work. This is their privilege. But to attack so violently a production in which they were involved seems to me to be the worst possible taste.

Artistic Director, The Khan Theatre  
Jerusalem, July 28.

## WHAT ABOUT THE SINGLE SABRA?

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post  
Sir, — I can well understand the protest of homeless singles, as reported in your issue of July 23, this protest dealt with the lack of housing for single immigrants. But what about single Sabras? I am the mother of an unmarried 30-year-old daughter, born in Israel, who has done her military service and obtained a university degree. But which institution in Israel will help people like her to get a flat? With housing prices what they are, and rents so high, how can Sabra singles possibly have enough money to buy a flat?

MARGARETE KOHN

Nahariya, July 29.

## RHODESIA AT THE MACCABIAH

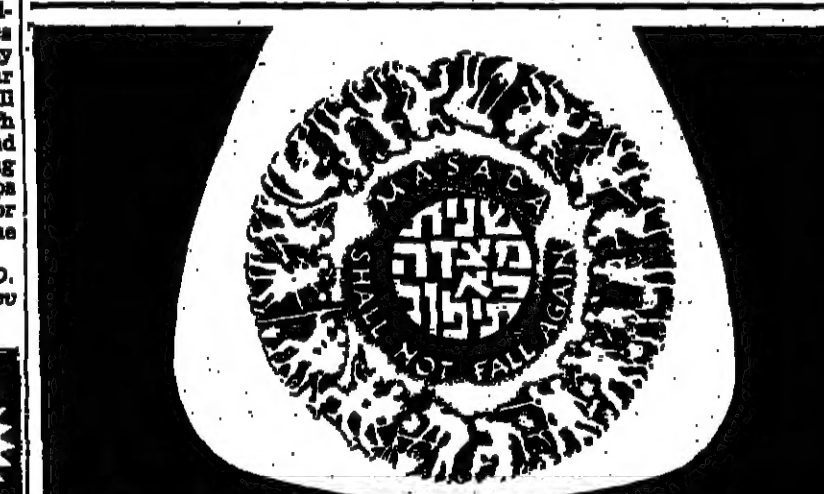
To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post  
Sir, — In answer to a letter written by S. Balon (July 27), I wish to put him on the correct road of facts. Rhodesians were accepted by the World Maccabiah as a country and not as individuals. There is no acceptance of individuals in the Maccabi Games.

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